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## REQUEST BY STIPULATION OF COUNSEL FOR SIXTY (60) DAYS' EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE NOTICE OF OPPOSITION

NOW COMES *Tanner Companies Limited Partnership*, a Georgia limited partnership, whose sole general partner is APOGEE 21, Inc., a North Carolina corporation, having a principal place of business at Oak Springs Road, Post Office Box 1139, Rutherfordton, North Carolina 28139, and by its undersigned attorney, John L. Sullivan, Jr., a member of the firm of ALSTON & BIRD LLP, Bank of America Plaza, 101 South Tryon Street, Suite 4000, Charlotte, North Carolina 28280-4000, (704) 444-1008, hereby requests that its time for opposing the above-identified trademark application be extended for a period of sixty (60) days, from April 19, 2004, up to and including **June 18, 2004**.

This extension of time is requested pursuant to a stipulation of counsel for Applicant,

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Carter Reeves, Esq., and the undersigned counsel for Petitioner, who conferred by telephone on April 19, 2004, and agreed that an extension of time was necessary for the parties to either complete an amicable resolution of this matter, or otherwise proceed with the filing of a Notice of Opposition. The parties are currently considering a means for resolving this matter, and a sixty (60) days' extension is requested because Petitioner realistically believes that the resolution of this matter cannot be completed within a shorter period of time.

Accordingly, favorable action on this request is respectfully urged.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: <u>Box TTAB - NO FEE</u>, Commissioner for Trademarks, 2900 Crystal Drive, Arlington,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

This is to certify that the foregoing REQUEST BY STIPULATION OF COUNSEL FOR A SIXTY (60) DAYS' EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE A NOTICE OF OPPOSITION was served on Applicant's attorney, Carter Reeves, Esq., Carter, Ledyard & Milburn, 2 Wall Street, New York, New York 10005-2072, Telephone (212)-238-8773, Fax (212)-732-3232, postage prepaid, this the 19<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2004.

John L. Sullivan, Jr. Attorney for Petitioner

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